Suspension of *the* Chairman of *ihe* Bombay Port Trust

724. SHRI M. KALYANASUNDA RAM: Will the Minister of TRANS PORT be pleased to state;

(a) what are the details of the allegations fo$_r$ which th$_e$ Chairman and other officials of the Bombay Port Trust have recently been placed under suspension; and

(b) what further action Government propose to take against the erring officials?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT;: (a) and (b) The incumbent of the post of Chairman of Bombay Port Trust has not been placed under suspension, in the recent past, the Chief Labour Officer and a Flotilla Port Trust has not been placed under suspension. The charges against them relate to irrgegularities in appointment and wilful disobedience of order etc. Departmental proceedings aeainst these officers are contemplated/in progress.

Extension Project of the Calcutta Circular Railway

725. SHRI RAMKRISHNA MAZUMDER;

SHRl CHITTA BASU;

Will the Minister of TRANSPORT. be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government have abandoned the extension Project of the *Calcutta* Circular Railway; and

(lb) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA); (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Filling' up of the Vacancies iu the Bureau for Promotion of Urdu .

726. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI; Will the Minister of HUMAN RE SOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is $_a$ fact that $_a$ number of sanctioned posts $_a$re lying vacant in the office of the Bureau for Promotion of Urdu;

(b) if so, what is the number of such posts and reasons for not filling them; and

(c) by when these are likeiy to be filled up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND' CULTURE (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI); (a) to (c) 19 posts of various categories are lying vacant in the office of the Bureau for Promotion of Urdu due to non-finali-sation of the recruitment rules and or because of ban on fresh recruitment. Steps will be taken to fill up these posts afte$_r$ the ban is lifted and/ or recruitment rules are finalised in consultation with concerned authorities.

Medical Profession affected by Brain Drain

727. SHRI RAMCHANDRA BHARA DWAJ: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government's attention ha,?, been drawn to the convocation address delivered by the Chief Justice PN. Bhagwati of the Supreme Court at, the All India Institute of Medical Sciences on March 31, 1986, inviting attention to the "very serious problem afflicting the medical profession-'brain drain'";

(b) if so, what is the numoer of medical graduates and post-graduates who went abroad during 1984 and I3!>5 and the total number of such graduates and post-graduates as on March 31, 1986; and